



Office of Mayor Jerry Sanders

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Mayor Sanders Makes Several Reappointments to the Board of Library Commissioners

San Diego – Mayor Jerry Sanders has reappointed Judy McCarty, MaryAnne Baca Pintar and Katie Sullivan to the City of San Diego Board of Library Commissioners, subject to City Council confirmation. All three Commissioners will serve a two-year term concluding March 1, 2009.

Judy McCarty was a City Councilmember who represented District 7 for 15 years. She was a delegate to the White House Conference on Library and Information Systems and served on the Restructuring of California Public Libraries Joint Task Force. Ms. McCarty also chaired the San Diego County Regional Library Authority and founded Citizens in Action for Local Libraries. In 1997 she was recognized by the California Association of Library Trustees and Commissioners for outstanding support of public libraries.

Ms. Baca Pintar is the owner of Pintar Communications a media relations, writing and communications firm. Previously, she served as the Deputy Chief of Staff for Communications and Policy and then Chief of Staff to Mayor Susan Golding. In addition to her government experience, Ms. Baca Pintar was the Communications Manager for San Diego READS Literacy Campaign and a Communications Consultant for BIOCUM San Diego.

Katie Sullivan is a Scripps Ranch resident, former President of the Friends of the San Diego Public Library and previously served as the organization's Vice President. In 2000, she was recognized as volunteer of the year by the City of San Diego Public Library. Ms. Sullivan was also President of the Scripps Miramar Ranch Branch Friends of the Library.

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